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SUBJECT: GAO REVIEW: "PRICING OF THE F-16 MULTINATIONAL
FIGHTER PROGRAM"

1. THE GAO HAS INFORMED THE DEPARTMENT THAT IT IS UNDER-
TAKING THE SUBJECT REVIEW UNDER TWO ASSIGNMENTS: (1) REVIEW
OF THE REASONABLENESS OF NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR ENGINES
UNDER THE F-16 AIRCRAFT PROGRAM; AND (2) REVIEW OF THE
REASONABLENESS OF NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR AIRCRAFT UNDER THE
F-16 AIRCRAFT PROGRAM. AUTHORIZATION FOR THIS PROJECT
IS COVERED BY THE F-16 MULTINATIONAL FIGHTER PROGRAM,
TECHNICAL AGREEMENT NO. 1.

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2. THIS WORK WILL BE CARRIED OUT BY TWO MEMBERS OF THE
GAO/WASHINGTON PROCUREMENT AND SYSTEMS ACQUISITION
DIVISION, MR. ROBERT T. BOTEMPO AND MS. PATRICIA A.
BRANNIN, WHO HAVE TOP SECRET AND SECRET, SECURITY
CLEARANCES RESPECTIVELY, SUPPORTED BY ADDITIONAL STAFF TO
BE NAMED FROM THE GAO/FRANKFURT OFFICE.

3. THE VISIT SCHEDULE WHICH HAS BEEN COORDINATED WITH THE DEFENSE CONTRACT AUDIT AGENCY, BELGIUM SUBOFFICE, FOR THE COGNIZANT EUROPEAN AUDITORS, DATES OF VISIT, AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS IS AS FOLLOWS:

BELGIUM: MAJOR FRANCOIS CREPAIN, 8/16/78, (32-2-216-2180)

DENMARK: MR. HANS ERICKSON, 8/18/78, (41-1111666452)

NETHERLANDS: MR. VAN DER MEER, 8/22/78, (31-7045-2112)

NORWAY: MR. OLAV DOLVE, 8/21/78, (47-215-7590 X408)

4. THE GAO REPRESENTATIVES ARE PREPARED TO MEET WITH EMBASSY OFFICERS UPON ARRIVAL OR DEPARTURE, WHICHEVER IS MOST CONVENIENT. VANCE

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